

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

- against -

RUBEN WEIGAND, and
HAMID “RAY” AKHAVAN,

Defendants.

No. 20-CR-188-JSR

NOTICE OF MOTION

ORAL ARGUMENT REQUESTED

PLEASE TAKE NOTICE that upon the accompanying memorandum of law, the undersigned will move this Court before the Honorable Jed S. Rakoff, at the Daniel Patrick Moynihan Courthouse, 500 Pearl Street, New York, NY 10007, for a judgment of acquittal of Hamid “Ray” Akhavan under Rule 29 of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure, or, in the alternative, an order granting a new trial under Rule 33 of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure.

PLEASE TAKE FURTHER NOTICE, that by prior order of the Court, the government’s opposition is due by May 12, 2021, and Mr. Akhavan’s reply is due by May 19, 2021. Oral argument is scheduled for May 26, 2021 at 5 p.m.

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